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**From:** ccbwkaren@gmail.com  
**Sent:** Thur 3/31/2016 2:35:22 PM  
**Subject:** Re: quick question  
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Hi Sharon - No problem at all. Thanks for trying! I actually managed to somewhat find what I need via ECHO, but I might do the FOIA too just be sure I have the correct information.  
Many thanks,  
Karen

On Wed, Mar 30, 2016 at 2:29 PM, DeMeo, Sharon M. <[Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov](mailto:Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov)> wrote:

Hi Karen,

Sorry it took a few days to get back to you. I've asked around the office and was finally told that you should go through the freedom of information act (FOIA) process to get the information you are seeking. In addition, we prefer that such requests are submitted via FOIAonline. Please visit the following link to submit your request:

<https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home>

Hope it all works out.

Sharon

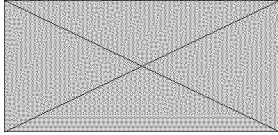
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**Sent:** Friday, March 25, 2016 1:58 PM  
**To:** DeMeo, Sharon M. <[Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov](mailto:Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov)>  
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I'll give ECHO a try. No problem at all. I know it's probably not an easy answer to get. I'm willing to dig - just need an idea of where to look. Thanks so much for asking on Monday! Enjoy the weekend.

On Fri, Mar 25, 2016 at 1:07 PM, DeMeo, Sharon M. <[Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov](mailto:Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov)> wrote:

Hi Karen,

Did you try EPA's ECHO system? I can ask around on Monday when there are a few more people in the office. Sorry, I don't know any easy way to get that information off hand.

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**Sent:** Friday, March 25, 2016 10:43 AM  
**To:** DeMeo, Sharon M. <[Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov](mailto:Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov)>

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Thanks so much for the information.

But I am trying to find out what facilities have the longest expired permits in the U.S. - I am doing some research and just want to compare Pilgrim's & Canal's administratively extended permits to others in the U.S. How can I find this information?

Sorry to be a pain. I just have no clue where to begin...

Karen

On Fri, Mar 25, 2016 at 9:31 AM, DeMeo, Sharon M. <[Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov](mailto:Demeo.Sharon@epa.gov)> wrote:

Hi Karen,

The Pilgrim permit expired on April 29, 1996 and the Canal Station permit expired on June 23, 1994. Both permits were administratively continued at that time. Please see the attachments.

Happy to Spring to you as well,

Sharon

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**From:** ccbwkaren@gmail.com [mailto:ccbwkaren@gmail.com] **On Behalf Of**  
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**Sent:** Thursday, March 24, 2016 3:39 PM

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**Subject:** quick question

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Hi Sharon -

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I have a question I was hoping you could help me with. I am trying to figure out if Entergy's Pilgrim Nuclear and NRG's Canal Station's NPDES permits are the oldest in the country (in terms of expiration date and when they started being administratively extended). Can you point me in the right direction to find data to back this up? I did find EPA's NPDES permit search online, but it's really convoluted and didn't have any luck with that.

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Thanks, and Happy Spring!

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Best,

Karen

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